



CELEBRATE A CENTURY AT THE GRAHAM COUNTY FAIR

# Parade Entry Form

10:00 AM • Friday, October 9, 2026 • Please print

ORGANIZATION/GROUP

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ENTRANT CONTACT

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MAILING ADDRESS

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PHONE NUMBER

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EMAIL ADDRESS

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## HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I/We, \_\_\_\_\_, its officers, employees and members shall, through the signing of this Agreement by an authorized party or agent, indemnify, hold harmless and defend the City of Safford and its agents and employees from all suits and actions, including reasonable attorneys' fees and all costs of litigation and judgment of every name and description against the City, as a result of loss, damage or injury to person or property by reason of any action or omission by the City of Safford, its agents or employees, for the following activities: Graham Co. Fair Parade, October 9, 2026, Main Street Parade Route, Safford, AZ.

Signed this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026.

PRINT NAME

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SIGNATURE

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Parade entry form submission deadline: 3:00 p.m., 10/08/2026. Submit all applications to the Graham County Parks & Fair office, Monday-Friday 7am-4pm, or email to Rose Gomez, [RGomez@graham.az.gov](mailto:RGomez@graham.az.gov), or call (928) 428-7180 with any questions.



GRAHAM COUNTY FAIR PARADE

# Parade Notice

NOTICE — Video and Audio Recording of Minor(s): Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statute §1-602, the Parents' Bill of Rights, subsection (A)(9), parents have the right to consent before the City or any of its political subdivisions make a video or audio recording of any minor child(ren). City of Safford Special Events, including events downtown such as parades and festivals, are all photographed, audio and/or video recorded, and as a result, proceedings in which children are present may be subject to such recording.

Parent(s) wishing to exercise their rights may either file a written consent with the City of Safford Administrative Events Liaison regarding such recording, or take personal action to ensure that their child or children are not present when a recording may be made. If a child(ren) is/are present at the time a recording is made, the City will assume that the rights afforded to parents pursuant to A.R.S. §1-602 have been waived. If you have any questions concerning this, or wish to obtain a written waiver, please feel free to contact the Administrative Events Liaison located at Safford City Annex, 808 S. 8th Ave., Safford, or you may call (928) 432-4143.

When you participate/enter the parade, you will be entering an area where photography, video and audio recording may occur. By entering the event premises, you consent to interview(s), photography, audio recording, video recording, and its/their release, publication, exhibition, or reproduction to be used for news, webcasts, promotional purposes, telecasts, advertising, inclusion on websites, or any other purpose by the City of Safford, Sponsors, and representatives. You release the City of Safford, its Sponsors and Representatives, and officers and employees, and each and all persons involved, from any liability connected with the taking, recording, digitizing, or publication of interviews, photographs, computer images, video and/or sound recordings.

ORGANIZATION/GROUP

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Signed this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026.

APPLICANT REPRESENTATIVE (PRINT NAME)

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT REPRESENTATIVE

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GRAHAM COUNTY FAIR PARADE

# Rules & Regulations

Please review and abide by the following parade safety precautionary guidelines:

1. All parade organizers and participants are required to ensure everyone in their group follows these parade rules. Failure to follow may lead to event disqualification and further action as needed.
2. Parade check-in and line-up will begin at 7:00–9:30am behind the Graham County Courthouse. All parade entries must be staged by 9:45am, and the first numbered entry will depart at 10:00am.
3. Only properly licensed drivers are authorized to operate any large vehicles, to include ATVs and golf carts. Participants must be 12 or older to operate smaller vehicles such as mini-bikes, motorized scooters, etc.
4. Participants are not permitted to ride on any vehicle rooftops, fenders, hoods, etc.
5. Hot rodding, excessive speed and/or swerving by any vehicle — to include but not limited to ATVs, motorcycles, bicycles, skateboards, etc. — is prohibited.
6. Items may be handed out, NOT thrown or tossed toward the crowd, from any parade entry or walking participants.
7. All entry parties must exhibit proper disposition and control of any animals in the parade.
8. All youth organization or group entries must be accompanied by a responsible adult, who must ensure these rules are followed.
9. Participants must make every effort to maintain proper spacing with the entry in front of them. Stopping to perform is not permitted, and all entrants need to keep the parade moving.
10. Potential hazards such as firing weapons, blanks, fireworks, or anything else deemed innately dangerous — to include water balloons, shooting silly string, and water guns, etc. — are strictly prohibited!
11. Parade entries/floats are prohibited from exceeding the DOT legal height regulation of 13' 6".

*Sign & date below to acknowledge the Entrant Contact / Organization/Group's understanding of these guidelines:*

\_\_\_\_\_  
CONTACT SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

**FAILURE TO ADHERE TO ANY OF THESE RULES WILL RESULT IN REMOVAL FROM THE EVENT**



GRAHAM COUNTY FAIR PARADE

# Line-Up & Route Guidelines

*Please keep this for your day-of-event reference*

**LINE-UP ACCESS START TIME: 7:00 – 9:30 AM**

## PARADE LINE-UP ACCESS

- Take W. 8th St. onto S. 11th Ave.
- Turn right onto W. Main St. (behind the Graham County Courthouse).
- Proceed single file and follow Event Personnel (in high-vis vests) directions.
- Entrants will be provided with a line-up number in the order of their arrival.
- Share the Group/Organization title used on your parade application when asked by Event Personnel to assist with line-up order.
- There are no areas outside of the line-up route for entry set-up.
- Arriving on time will help with the line-up and allow for any last-minute set-up needs.
- All entries must be in place and ready by 9:45am, with the parade starting at 10:00am.
- Event Personnel are responsible for launching each numbered entry.
- Entrants with multiple vehicles need to keep together — please consider the distance from each other, especially with the entry to your front.
- Parade line-up will proceed from the Courthouse, left on 8th Ave., right onto Main St., finishing with a right onto 2nd Ave., and proceed toward 7th St. to disband. All vehicles are prohibited from turning right onto 7th St.
- Please assist with prompt pick-ups and exiting from 2nd Ave.
- Please review the Parade Rules & Regulations.



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# Entry Announcement

*Please print*

ORGANIZATION/GROUP

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ENTRY TITLE

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## TYPE OF ENTRY (CHOOSE ALL THAT APPLY)

☐ DO NOT JUDGE — DESCRIPTION

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☐ MOUNTED UNIT — ORGANIZATION

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☐ FLOAT / GC SCHOOL — CLASS & SCHOOL

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☐ FLOAT — ORGANIZATION

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☐ MOTOR VEHICLE — DESCRIBE

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☐ MARCHING UNIT — DESCRIBE

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☐ ELECTED OFFICIAL — NAME/TITLE

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## BRIEF MESSAGE (30 WORDS OR LESS, OR WILL BE EDITED)

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